

# EXHIBIT A

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

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IN RE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY )	
AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE )	MDL NO. 1456
LITIGATION )	Civil Action No. 01-12257-PBS
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THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: )	
<i>State of California ex. rel. Ven-A-Care of</i> )	
<i>the Florida Keys Inc., v. Abbott</i> )	
<i>Laboratories, Inc., et al.,</i> )	
<i>No. 03-11226-PBS; State of Iowa v.</i> )	
<i>Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.,</i> )	
<i>No. 07-12141-PBS; The City of New</i> )	
<i>York, et al. v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc.,</i> )	
<i>et al., No. 03-10643-PBS</i> )	
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**DECLARATION OF JOHANNA B. FINE IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR  
ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

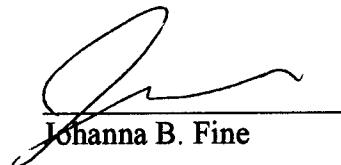
Johanna B. Fine an attorney with the firm of White & Case LLP, 1155 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10036, hereby declares:

1. I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of New York.
2. I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of Massachusetts.
3. I have been admitted to practice in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York.
4. I am a member in good standing in the courts listed above.
5. I am not suspended or disbarred in any court and have never been the subject of a professional disciplinary proceeding.
6. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a Certificate of Good Standing for the Bar of the State of New York of which I am a member.

7. I am familiar with the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts.

I declare under penalty or perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: New York, New York  
January 29, 2009



Johanna B. Fine